

PATENT: **Mail Stop AF** Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 08350.0416-00

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:				
Mark A. Henninger et al.			Group Art Unit: 3624	
Application No.: 09/738,618			Examiner: Lalita M. Hamilton	
Filed: December 15, 2000		mber 15, 2000		
For:	COMPENSATORY RATIO) HEDGING)		Confirmation No.: 2172	
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Mail Stop AF				
NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31				
Sir:				
	Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the			
Examiner's decision mailed July 15, 2005.				
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